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## SHE QUIT HER WORK FOR A "LONELY" MAN

So Says Manicurist in Suit for \$40,953

From Nathan Arnold.

New York, Feb. 24.—Miss Mildred Jessie Duer, a manicurist, who abandoned her work to make life happy for Nathan Arnold, she says, is suing him for \$40,953. She says he agreed to pay \$150 a month for the support of herself and family and has failed to do so.

Worse than that in the opinion of Miss Duer, she says Mr. Arnold bought for her fifty shares each of Central Leather, International Nickel, Anaconda and Copper and United States Steel common, but now refuses to deliver them to her. She includes the value of the stock with interest from November 21, 1916, in the amount of damages sought. Mr. Arnold is said to have received a summons at his home in Second avenue, All went well with Miss Duer, her complaint says, until she met him. She was "realizing a good living for herself and contributing to the support of her family" when Mr. Arnold told her that he was leading an unhappy life, being past middle age and lonely. Briefly, he asked her to let him take her riding in automobiles and otherwise to permit him to be near her. In return for a monetary consideration, she says, he did make monthly payments until October, 1916, she says, and then informed her through agents that he "could no longer perform the contract." She says that "at the instance of third persons he refused to see her."

## NO FEAR OF COOK STRIKE.

Hotel Managers Say They Are Prepared to Care for Patrons.

Hotel patrons will not go hungry on and after the fourth of March, according to local hotel managers, who have no fear of a walkout on the part of their cooks if demands for increased pay and shorter hours are not met.

A mass meeting for white cooks has been called for tonight at the Perpetual Building, Eleventh and E streets northwest, and another is to be called for colored cooks at True Reformers' Hall, Twelfth and U streets northwest. The demands of the cooks for a ten-hour day and 15 per cent increase in wages and overtime pay will still be pushed, whether the strike takes place or not.

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## HAVE TO GET OFF CAR TO FIND WHERE YOU ARE

"Chink" at Loss as to Ringing Bell for Lamp Post Sign Has Gone.

"Mister conductor, no talles whelly am at; somebody lift up nommers on light post."

This was the wall of one member of our congregation of "washee men" who have long discarded the pigtail. He boarded a Seventh street car last night and was in hopes of getting off at T street, but when he looked slantwise for the letters that used to be on the lampposts, he failed to find them. When the District authorities had the new posts installed on the main thoroughfares, the numbers and letters that used to be visible by being transparent and were easily read with the light shining through them were placed beneath the lights.

Strangers in the city who know where they want to get off, and are too bashful to ask, unlike John Chinaman, scan the lampposts, and failing to see where they are going, often travel several blocks beyond their destination. When you get a glimpse of the new lights you cannot see the designation of the street on them unless you get off the car and get almost under the post.

"The stars incline, but do not compel."

## HOROSCOPE.

Sunday, February 25, 1917.

Owing to many opposite influences, this is an uncertain day and a time to be exceedingly careful. Early in the morning Uranus and Venus are in a nefarious aspect, while later Venus still rules kindly and Jupiter is friendly. But Uranus changes to evil place in the afternoon, and with Neptune and Saturn, bodes ill to human destiny.

The rule is fairly good for preachers and singers. All who seek public favor are well directed.

The churches, however, are warned of many dissensions and schisms in the coming year, which will bring troubles that are forerunners of a new spiritual awakening.

This is an auspicious day for lovers, young and old, but Uranus gives power to deceive.

There is a sign giving promise of great gain to all classes of occultists. The seers declare that the wall between the seen and the unseen will be broken.

Neptune gives warning to all who send forth merchandise in ships. Commerce with the Orient will suffer as well as trade dependent on the Atlantic.

According to astrology secret organizations and associations for the purpose of furthering patriotic aims will multiply before the end of the year. An American movement of some sort is presaged by the stars and this may lead to political shoals.

Persons appear to promise the making of treaties before midsummer, but these will not last, if the signs are rightly interpreted and peace negotiations will drag through many weeks of anxiety in which sensational incidents will develop.

Southern cities as well as several of the Middle West will be the scenes of labor disturbances and even riots. Crimes of an unusual character are foreshadowed and among these there will be more than one assassination for extraordinary causes.

Persons whose birthdate it is should be exceedingly watchful of the health. Business and finance are under a lucky guidance, but danger is indicated in association with persons of opposite sex.

Children born on this day are likely to be richly endowed with talent and charm. These subjects of Pisces will have many friends and numerous love affairs. They usually succeed in whatever they undertake. (Copyright, 1917.)

## HAM AND CABBAGE

### CAUSE OF DOWNFALL

This Man Falls From Grace; Then Breaks Up Church Service.

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Baltimore, Feb. 24.—Old Sam Bell appears to be a hopeless case. Anyway the congregation of the Garrett Park M. E. Church has about made up its mind to reform Sam. After two unsuccessful attempts to persuade Sam to lead a better life, the good people of Garrett Park have registered him as a backslider, and Magistrate Formicola, in the southwestern Police Court, this morning upheld their verdict to the extent of imposing upon him a fine of \$50 and costs. Sam was charged with disturbing religious worship and the fine is the most severe the law provides.

Sam is 50 years old. On Wednesday last he drifted into the Garrett Park Church while a prayer-meeting was in progress and expressed a desire to become converted. His apparent sincerity drew Mrs. Dunsing to take compassion upon him, and by way of putting her sympathy with this brand backed from the burning upon a practical basis she took him to her home.

At the Dunsing home Sam fell from grace. Mrs. Dunsing was preparing a late supper for the family, the principal dish for which was ham and cabbage. Oh, boy!

While waiting for the arrival of the family Mrs. Dunsing retired to her room for a short nap, leaving Sam in the kitchen with the ham and the cabbage and the smell of the cooking.

When Mrs. Dunsing returned Sam was still there, but the ham and the cabbage had disappeared.

Sam was asked about it, but he didn't know a thing.

Mrs. Dunsing couldn't quite see it that way, and Sam was given the gate. Last night he turned up again at the church, presumably on the trail of more ham and cabbage, but he slipped up when he objected audibly to some remarks made by the pastor.

## WILL COMMENCE WORK ON \$1,000,000 BRIDGE

Hope that Congress would increase the amount appropriated \$1,000,000 to half as much again, to allow the proposed Key Bridge at Georgetown to be thoroughly practical, has been abandoned by army officers and officials connected with the enterprise.

Secretary Baker and the army engineers have decided to put a million dollars' worth of bridge in shape, and trust to good fortune at the next session to supply the extra half million to bridge sixty feet wide, instead of eighty feet, as originally planned, will have to suffice, if no additional funds are forthcoming.

## MOVIE WILL FEATURE NEBRASKANS' BANQUET

The banquet of the Nebraska State Association, of this city, which will be held at the New Ebbitt on Thursday evening in celebration of the semi-centennial anniversary of the admission of the State into the Union, will have an especially unique feature in the showing for the first time in the East of this historical pageant reviewed by President Wilson in Omaha last fall.

The entire Nebraska delegation in Congress will be present, as well as R. L. Metcalf, former governor of the Canal Zone.

## FUNERALS.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary A. Nixon, 87 years old, who died Friday at her home, 1756 Euclid street northwest, will be held at the residence today at 2 o'clock. The body will be sent to Covington, Ky., her old home, for interment.

Funeral services for Mrs. John W. Fraber, 63 years old, who died Friday morning at her home, 307 Florida avenue northwest, will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock in Immaculate Conception Church. Interment is to be at Mount Olivet Cemetery.

Funeral services for Mrs. Custis, wife of Dr. J. B. Gregg Custis, 37 years, who died at her home, 912 Fifteenth street northwest, after an illness of three weeks, will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the residence. Interment is to be in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Funeral services for Mrs. Leonora Baxter, 92 years old, who died at the residence of her son, G. H. Baxter, 824 Seventh street southeast, will be held at the residence tomorrow at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Rock Creek Cemetery.

## MOVIE STARS WILL ATTEND.

Moving Picture Operators' Plan Ball and Reunion.

The sixth annual reunion and movie ball of Moving Picture Machine Operators' Protective Union, local No. 84, will be held at old Masonic Temple, Ninth and F streets, Friday evening, March 2. Stars of the motion picture stage, including "Vivian" Arkbuckle, have arranged to attend in person as guests of honor. Local operators. The committee in charge, headed by M. Morris and President E. A. Spelbring, of local 24, announce that a number of folks of the moving picture world, expected her for the inauguration, will be present.

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## MISSION WILL CLOSE

Special Services at Holy Trinity Church Come to End Tonight

The solemn closing of the mission that has been in progress for the past two weeks at Holy Trinity Church, Georgetown, will take place tonight at 7:30 o'clock. The mission has been most successful, and the missionaries—Fathers Gasson and Brown, of the Society of Jesus—feel much gratified at the result.

It is expected that Father Eugene Del McDonnell, S. J., pastor of the church, and Rev. Edward Mognath, S. J., moderator of the Holy Name Society, that several hundred men will be added to their organization.

At the meeting tonight the men will renew their baptismal obligations and have the papal benediction given them. Father Brown will deliver a sermon on "Perseverance," to which the public is invited.

## PRINT PAPER HEARINGS ARE TO BE CONTINUED

Divergence in Views to Necessitate Taking of Additional Testimony.

Preliminary conferences between publishers, paper manufacturers and members of the Federal Trade Commission yesterday developed so many divergent views upon the newspaper manufacturers' proposal that the commission fix the prices of newspaper paper that it became evident public hearings will be necessary. These hearings, it was stated yesterday, probably will begin early this week, and everyone affected directly by the proposed agreement will have a chance to be heard.

Sharp differences of opinion came to the surface yesterday as soon as the conference got under way. The smaller publishers clamored for acceptance of the manufacturers' proposal, which seems to offer them a cheaper rate than they now pay, while the large publishers declared they are fully heard. The commission will direct its efforts during the coming week to establishing harmony between the manufacturers and publishers.

## GIVE BENEFIT CONCERT

Pupils of Washington College of Music Aid Harry Waller

A benefit concert, for the purpose of purchasing a suitable violin for Harry Waller, a Washington boy whose talent as a violinist has gained the applause of Fritz Kreisler, was given yesterday afternoon in Masonic Auditorium by the pupils of the Washington College of Music.

Harry Waller has had only six years of instruction, and musicians and critics predict a brilliant future for him. His willingness, at all times, to play for charity has made him a host of friends. Who took this opportunity to give him a good violin, something which he had never been able to acquire.

Other numbers on the program were soprano solos by Miss Clara Young, piano solos by Frank Norris Jones, and several selections by the college orchestra of sixty pieces.

## SUFFS FOLLOW BIBLE; WILL CIRCLE 7 TIMES

But White House Walls May Withstand Strain.

Taking a leaf from the Old Testament as their guide, the suffrage pickets will march around the White House walls. On the seventh day—next Sunday, to be exact—they shall "compass the City of Watchful Walling" seven times, "and seven times bearing the suffrage ark." "And it shall come to pass," according to the official announcement issued from the national headquarters of the Congressional Union, "that when they make a long blast with the rain's horn, and when you hear the sound of the trumpet, all the people shall shout with a great shout; and the walls of the city shall fall down flat."

At least that is the way the leaders of the suffrage hosts are planning to have things work out. But whether the walls fall or not the suffragists intend to make their demonstration next Sunday afternoon the most vivid and picturesque suffrage event that has even been staged.

At the head of the line will march Vida Milholland, sister of Inez Milholland Solesvoin. Vida Milholland is taking her sister's place in the suffrage ranks out of loyalty to Inez and to help carry on the fight for which her sister died.

Behind her in line will come Mrs. Jessie Hardy Stubbs MacKaye, veteran bearer of the Congressional Union banner that has been carried in every suffrage demonstration of note since 1915. They will come the seven suffrage priestesses with trumpets of rams' horns and bearing the suffrage ark.

A brigade of 1,000 banner-bearers carrying the purple, white and gold tri-color of the Congressional Union will be next in line, and behind these will come the State delegations, each led by a captain carrying the State flag.

## N. Y. UNIVERSITY CLUB LAUDS WILSON'S STAND

The following resolution was adopted at a special meeting of the University Club of New York last week:

"We, the members of the University Club, in special meeting assembled, do hereby heartily endorse the recent action of the President of the United States in severing diplomatic relations with the imperial German government, and we pledge our hearty support to any and all measures looking toward putting our country into a state of defensive preparedness, and to that end especially urge the enactment into law of an adequate system of compulsory universal military training and service."

Resolved, That a copy hereof be transmitted to the President, and to each member of the Congress, and to the press."

## ASHLAR CLUB TO DINE.

The Ashlar Club, composed of master Masons employed at the State, War, and Navy Departments, and at the White House, will hold its third annual banquet at the New Ebbitt Hotel on March 7.

An elaborate program of diversified entertainment will be participated in by E. J. Wrightman, L. Myerwitz, A. Shefferman, Paul F. Grove, E. D. Liefers, Charles E. Wolf, and Adlai Mann.

## WILL ENTERTAIN VISITORS.

Pennsylvania Society Will Give Reception for Inaugural Through.

The Pennsylvania Society has arranged to entertain Pennsylvania visitors and their Pennsylvania guests at a reception to be given at Perpetual Hall, 1161 E street northwest, next Saturday evening from 8 to 11 o'clock.

In the receiving party will be Mrs. Mahlon D. Kiefer, Mrs. Caroline M. Gury, Mrs. Edwin A. Nies, Mrs. William Rosser, Mrs. Frank L. Crilly, Mrs. Albert F. Cumins, Miss Florence G. Smith, Miss Mabel L. Stratton, Miss Idem Bingham, Mrs. Joseph F. Bixler, Mrs. Grant S. Barnhart, Mrs. Laura P. Davis, Mrs. Sarah E. Pritchman, Mrs. Rosa Hamilton, Mrs. William F. Hemler, Mrs. Robert W. Lamberton, Mrs. J. B. Manning, Mrs. Clarence W. Broome, Mrs. Joseph F. Michaud, and Misses Elmira E. and Nora A. Poter.

## MUST EARN \$1,500 PER YEAR TO ENTER THIS CLUB

That Is, If You're Married; Single Men Must Earn \$1,200 a Year.

At a meeting of the full membership of the Washington Athletic Club early next month the completed plans for the \$600,000 clubhouse and financial plans will be submitted for approval and a time will be set for the ground-breaking for the new home. The date for the meeting will be set at an executive meeting of the advisory board of the club in the near future.

The club will file its application for a charter within a few days. This application has been held up to allow all the original applicants for membership to sign.

The names of applicants before the membership committee last week were laid over until this week.

One hard and fast rule has been set by the membership committee: No married man whose income is less than \$1,500 a year and no single man with less than \$1,200 are eligible.

This ruling was made by the membership committee at the beginning because it was decided that men with smaller incomes would find the initiation fee of \$100 and the annual dues of \$50 a drain and be unable to keep up their membership.

At the same time the club is no millionaires' organization, being along exactly the same lines as other big athletic clubs, although it lists among its members some of the wealthiest men in Washington, many prominent physicians, lawyers, dentists and representatives of the other professions, and men who are part of the business life of the Capital.

## WILL DISCUSS PATRIOTISM.

Woman Wage Earners to Be Addressed by Prof. W. B. Evans.

The Woman Wage-Earners' Association will devote most of the time at its 4 o'clock meeting this afternoon, at Columbia Academy, 704 T street northwest, to a discussion of "Patriotism: Our Duty in War Times."

Jeanette Carter, president of the association, will open the discussion. Prof. W. Bruce Evans, for many years principal of the Armstrong Technical School, and now engaged in educational work in the District schools, will speak.

## RUTH CRUGER MYSTERY STILL WITHOUT CLUE

Detectives Seeking Missing Girl Are Absolutely Baffled.

Special to The Washington Herald.  
New York, Feb. 24.—This is the eleventh day since 17-year-old Ruth Cruger disappeared, and despite the efforts of fifty detectives and the flooding of the country with photographs and descriptions, there is still no clue to her whereabouts or fate.

Mrs. Henry D. Cruger, the girl's mother, still believes she was kidnapped and is being held prisoner.

"I know Ruth would write home," said the mother today. "If she had the power to communicate with us. Even if she had eloped, I am sure she would write home and say so. She would know we would say in reply, 'We'll make the best of it.'"

"Last August Ruth had typhoid fever and the doctors said it left her heart slightly weakened. We thought, perhaps, the weakened heart might have caused her to collapse on the street, but we have made inquiries at every hospital without learning anything of her."

Alleged clues which prove worthless continue to pour in on the distracted family. An excited man offered yesterday to take the police to Alfred Cocchi, the repair shop proprietor, whose disappearance led to the suspicion that he might be connected in the Cruger case. The discoverer of the clue did turn up an Alfred Cocchi, but he was a subway employee.

The cab driver who drove a girl thought to be Miss Cruger from the vicinity of Cocchi's shop has been unable to locate the man who engaged him and who accompanied the young woman to a subway station. He says he is positive he could identify the man.

## JOSEPH HENRY PORTRAIT IS PLACED IN MUSEUM

A portrait of Joseph Henry, first to be elected secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, has just been transferred by a Senate resolution from the Capitol to the Smithsonian Institution, where it has been hung in the National Gallery of Art, in the new building of the National Museum.

This painting, which is by Henry Ulke, has been for some time in the office of the sergeant-at-arms of the Senate, but has been deposited in the Institution which Henry practically organized in 1846 and administered for the next thirty-two years.

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